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**Re: New U.S. Patent Application**

**Title: USE OF A COMBINATION OF COMPONENTS WITH AN  
INHIBITORY SYNERGISTIC EFFECT ON CALCIUM  
CHANNELS TO PREVENT OR TREAT WINKLES AND  
FINE LINES**

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 37 pages, including title page, abstract, Figure 1, and sequence listing, and including 4 independent claims and 26 claims total.
2. Information Data Sheet (2 pgs.).
3. Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) (3 pgs.)/Form PTO 1449/French Search Report (2 pgs.)/Documents (6).
4. Claim for Priority/Certified copy of French Patent Application No. 02 14183, filed November 13, 2002.
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Applicant also claims the right to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) based on U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/427,575, filed November 20, 2002, in the United States.

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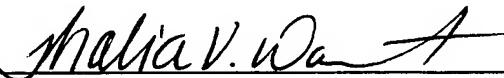
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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